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For: A BIPOLAR JUNCTION TRANSISTOR HAVING A HIGH  
GERMANIUM CONCENTRATION IN A SILICON-  
GERMANIUM LAYER AND A METHOD FOR FORMING THE  
BIPOLAR JUNCTION TRANSISTOR

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

In response to the Examiner's Action mailed May 29, 2009, please reconsider the above-  
identified application for the following reasons: